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11. (SBU) In accordance with reftel request, Post delivered white paper regarding the Afghanistan - Pakistan Strategic Review, and followed up by discussing reftel talking points with Assistant Director Corina Apostol of the Office of American Affairs of the Philippine Department of Foreign Affairs (DFA). Post underscored the message that the U.S. is seeking support and concrete assistance from all nations in bringing lasting peace and stability to Afghanistan and Pakistan. Assistant Director Apostol said that U.S. views on the way forward in Afghanistan and Pakistan were being given careful consideration, and that she would further discuss our position with senior levels in the DFA to ensure their maximum dissemination. Post will continue to follow up on this issue in coming days.